

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

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FEDERAL EXPRESS

Dick Lane for Congress Committee Dick Lane 3051 Woodcrest Drive San Jose, CA 95118

RE: MUR 4716

Dear Mr. Lane:

On February 6, 1998, you were notified that the Federal Election Commission determined to enter into negotiations directed toward reaching a conciliation agreement in settlement of this matter prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. On that same date you were sent a conciliation agreement offered by the Commission in settlement of this matter.

Please note that conciliation negotiations entered into prior to a finding of probable cause to believe are limited to a maximum of 30 days. To date, you have not responded to the proposed agreement. The 30 day period for negotiations will soon expire. Unless we receive a response from you within five days, this Office will consider these negotiations terminated and will proceed to the next stage of the enforcement process.

Should you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

Donninger Villenseger
Dominique Dillenseger

Attorney

Enclosures

Initial Notification Letter and attachments